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In re the Application of:

Takatoshi MIYAHARA, et al.

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Examiner: Robert Thomas CROW

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<u>TERMINAL DISCLAIMER TO OBVIATE A DOUBLE</u> <u>PATENTING REJECTION (37 C.F.R. 1.321(c))</u>

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INTEREST AND TITLE OF PERSON MAKING THIS TERMINAL DISCLAIMER

I, David M. Pitcher, represent that I am the attorney of record for this application and am authorized to sign on behalf of the Assignee.

IDENTITY OF ASSIGNEE

The Assignee is Toppan Printing Co., Ltd., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Japan, and having its office and principal place of business at 5-1, Taito 1-chome, Taito-ku, Tokyo, Japan.

Pursuant to Rule 3.73(b), the Assignee is the current owner of one-hundred percent interest in the subject application pursuant to the Assignment identified below.

RECORD OF ASSIGNMENT IN PTO

The assignment of the above-referenced application was recorded on May 8, 2006 at Reel 017588, Frame 0347.

COMMON OWNERSHIP OF U.S. PATENT NO. 6,916,614

The Assignee confirms that the Assignee is the common owner of U.S. Application Serial No. 10/624,567 and U.S. Patent No. 6,916,614. Pursuant to Rule 3.73(b), the Assignee is the current owner of one-hundred percent interest of the subject application pursuant to the Assignment identified above. Assignee further confirms that it remains the owner of one-hundred percent interest of U.S. Patent No. 6,916,614, consistent with the indication of the Assignee on the face thereof and recorded on May 9, 2006 at Reel 017586, Frame 0522.

CERTIFICATION OF TITLE

The evidentiary documents have been reviewed and the undersigned certifies that, to the best of said Assignee's knowledge and belief, title of the above-identified application and U.S. Patent No. 6,916,614 is in the said Assignee.

TERMINAL DISCLAIMER

Assignee hereby disclaims the terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application which would extend beyond the expiration date of U.S. Patent No. 6,916,614, and hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the above-identified application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title to said patent shall be the same as the legal title to Patent No. 6,916,614, the agreement to run with any patent granted on the above-identified application and to be binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

Assignee does not disclaim any terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application prior to the expiration date of the full statutory term as defined in 35 USC 154 to 156 and 173 of the Patent No. 6,916,614, as shortened by any terminal disclaimer, in the event that it later expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held unenforceable, is found invalid, is statutorily disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 C.F.R § 1.321(a), has all claims canceled by a re-examination certificate, is reissued, or is otherwise terminated prior to the expiration of its statutory term as shortened by any terminal disclaimer, except for the separation of legal title stated above.

The undersigned hereby declares that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

FEE

The requisite disclaimer fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.20(d) of \$130.00 is attached hereto.

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